Spouting Rock SMID Growth Concentrated



16.29

14.76

As of 9/30/2023

Investment Objective

Seeks to deliver long-term capital appreciation by building a portfolio of Sustainable Future Compounders - growth companies with diverse models and drivers undergoing improvements that may provide higher compound earnings, growth and stock price appreciation.

- Takes an institutional, research-based approach striving to hold higher-quality companies over the long-term with low turnover.
- Aims to limit downside risk through insightful company knowledge and multiple built-in risk controls including sell discipline.
- Utilized as a risk mitigation tool, ESG factors are considered when evaluating and selecting stocks.

Sustainable Future Compounders

We believe innovative companies undergoing positive sustainable business improvement and best practices have the potential to demonstrate higher compound earnings growth and stock price appreciation over time.

With a focus on quality, we invest with forwardthinking growth companies that we believe are making business improvements.

Strategy Facts

Inception Date* 10/2/2017

Morningstar Category Small Growth

Portfolio Management Team

James Gowen, CFA Chief Investment Officer 30+ years industry experience

John Ragard, CFA Senior Portfolio Manager 30+ years industry experience

Trailing Returns (%)								
	QTD	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Inception*		
SMID Growth Conc. (Net)	-6.14	2.86	1.09	-5.85	-1.74	7.55		
	QTD	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	Inception*		
SMID Growth Conc. (Gross)	-5.93	3.51	1.95	-5.04	-0.89	8.47		
BBG 2500 Growth Index	-6.31	4.15	9.87	3.08	4.04	6.76		
Calendar Year Returns (%)								
	2022	2021	202	20	2019	2018		

BBG 2500 Growth Index -25.10 12.13 31.24 30.23 -6.01

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be no assurance that any Spouting Rock Asset Management strategy will achieve its objectives or avoid substantial losses.

63.44

5.28

Market Performance (%) - Since Inception

-37.28

	Alpha	Beta	Std Dev	Sharpe Ratio	Best Quarter	Worst Quarter	Up Capture Ratio	Down Capture Ratio	R2
SMID Growth Conc. (Gross)	2.44	1.10	27.52	0.37	34.60	-26.68	125.88	124.61	71.52
BBG 2500 Growth Index	_	1.00	21.12	0.33	29.48	-24.64	100.00	100.00	100.00

Sector Allocation (%)

SMID Growth Conc. (Gross)

	SMID GC	Benchmark
Communication Services	2.4	2.7
Consumer Discretionary	-	12.7
Consumer Staples	2.3	4.1
Energy	2.6	2.5
Financials	7.7	7.8
Healthcare	21.4	16.3
Industrials	23.5	23.6
Materials	-	4.8
Real Estate	-	6.9
Information Technology	29.1	19.1
Utilities	-	1.5

Portfolio Metrics

	SMID GC	Benchmark
Number of Holdings	26	1,734
Wtd Avg Market Cap \$(m)	4,949	6,740
Median Market Cap \$(m)	3,224	1,518
Price to Earnings Ratio	24.5	19.5
EPS Growth %	24.0	18.5
Active Share %	97.0	

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About Spouting Rock Asset Management

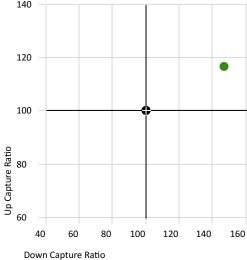
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SRAM offers a robust, cost-efficient platform that provides boutique managers with the distribution and operational benefits of a scaled asset management business.

Top 10 Positions (%)	
Chart Industries Inc	8.92
HealthEquity Inc	7.90
Maximus Inc	6.44
MicroStrategy Inc Class A	5.74
Axon Enterprise Inc	5.45
iShares Russell 2500 ETF	5.14
Shift4 Payments Inc Class A	5.08
Halozyme Therapeutics Inc	5.05
Sprout Social Inc Class A	4.46
SiTime Corp Ordinary Shares	4.39
	58.57

3 Yr. Upside-Downside Capture (%)



SMID Growth Conc. (Gross) BBG 2500 Growth Index

Spouting Rock Asset Management SMID Growth Concentrated Composite October 1, 2017 - June 30, 2023

Year	Composite Gross	Composite Net	Bloomberg 2500	Composite	Benchmark	Number of Portfolios	Internal Dispersion	Composite Assets (\$	Firm Assets (\$M)
	Return (%)	Return (%)	Growth TR Index (%)	3-Yr St Dev (%)	3-Yr St Dev (%)		(%)	M)	
2017*	9.2	9.0	5.4	NA	NA	1	NA	0.1	3
2018	14.8	13.8	-6.0	NA	NA	2	NA	0.2	15
2019	16.3	15.3	30.2	NA	NA	2	NA	0.4	125
2020	63.4	62.1	31.2	26.1	23.3	2	NA	0.5	226
2021	5.3	4.4	12.1	25.0	21.4	2	NA	0.5	501
2022	-37.3	-37.8	-25.1	29.5	24.7	2	NA	0.3	474
2023**	10.0	9.6	11.2	28.8	20.6	2	NA	0.4	509

*Returns are for the period October 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. **Returns are for the period 1 January 2023 through 30 June 2023. Spouting Rock Asset Management, LLC ("Spouting Rock") claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS") and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards. Spouting Rock Asset Management, LLC has been independently verified for the periods January 1, 2012 through June 30, 2021. The verification report is available upon request. A firm that claims compliance with the GIPS standards must establish policies and procedures related to composite and pooled fund maintenance, as well as the calculation, presentation, and distribution of performance, have been designed in compliance with the GIPS standards and have been implemented on a firm-wide basis. Verification does not provide assurance on the accuracy of any specific performance report.

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